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**Application No.:** 10/523,482  
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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
**Leighton**

Confirmation No.: **3889**

Application No.: **10/523,482**

Group Art Unit: **3721**

Filing Date: **September 22, 2005**

Examiner: **Desai, Hemant**

For: **Reclosable Bag Production**

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.312**

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated **April 17, 2007**, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- ☒ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page            of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page            of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.